

Weekly Column for April 5th, 2007

First things first here in this beautiful month of April on a winter like day. Or at least we hope for it to be beautiful.

Last week's Troy Night Out was more than a success; it was simply a marvelous time. More than one thousands of people roamed the streets on a beautiful Friday night. Restaurants were packed, stores were jammed, and there were smiling faces everywhere you looked. It truly is what being Mayor is all about.

Next up- April 27th. Mark your calendars, though I will be sure to remind you all before then anyway.

This week, as the weather reminds us of February, I want to just give a brief update on Earth Day. The official cleanup will take place this year on April 21st, throughout the entire day. The list of projects, which I will put below this column, is growing at a great rate. Several people have called up and asked for information about individual cleanups this week, and I think it is going to be a great time.

If you are interested in cleaning up an area already on the list, your task is simple. Call the person in charge of the project and find out what is going on in your area.

If you want to do something a bit different, a new project perhaps, even better. Give Jeff Buell a call at 270-4554 and add your project to the growing list.

For those that don't know, the City provides volunteers with bags, refreshments and t-shirts for the event. We do need your assistance in equipment, as we do not have enough to go around.

Please join in on the 21st. The more the merrier.

Also, for those interested, the Alamo, located in South Troy across from the Rensselaer County Jail will be open throughout the day for those wishing to drop off bulk refuse.

Have a wonderful Holiday weekend, may it be enjoyable, relaxing and fulfilling for you and your families.

Harry J Tutunjian
Mayor of Troy

Project	Coordinator	Phone
1 st St- Between Liberty and Washington Burden Pond	Cindy Lloyd Christine O'Connell	(272-6709) (272-7483)
Canal Street to Van Buren Street- From 1 st to Short 5 th	Claire Davis	(272-1267) Street

Fifth Avenue At Jacob Street	Ruth Gardner	(516-3938)
Fifth Ave. at 101 st Street	Thila Bell	(235-6110)
Frear Park Conservancy	Steve Conroy	(273-9286)
Hill St. (Old Prospect Park Entrance)	Agnes Zink	(272-2607)
Hillside Neighborhood 8 th through 10 th streets, Hoosick to Jacob	Felicia Bones	(326-4666)
Jackson and Monroe Streets- 2 nd Street	Margaret Davis Skelton	(273-7514)
Lansingburgh Bike Path	Floyd Terry	(376-4065)
	Troop 611	
Lavin Court- Between Hoosick and Sausse	Doreen Buell	(274-4795)
Little Italy Projects	Heather Hamlin	(441-5700)
Morrison Avenue	Cindy Pitts	(629-4848)
Mount Ida Cemetery	Brant Caird	(274-0418)
Oakwood Avenue	Shirley Testo	(235-3755)
Poestenkill	Steve Muller	(274-0846)
Powers Park	Vito Ciccarelli	(270-4493)
Prospect Park	Peter Grimm	(273-1500)
Stowe Ave. (Cottage St. between Troy Hills Apartments and Morrison Manor)	Kathy Tremblay	(274-3669)
Wynantskill Way	John Trong	(272-7617)